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NORTHERN ONTARIO TOUR

BY MEMBERS OF
THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

AUGUST 21st to 31st 1957



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This pictorial record is presented as a souvenir of the tour of Northern Ontario by some 48 members of the Legislative Assembly. The tour was arranged to give members a first-hand acquaintance with economic and industrial developments in key Northern centres.

Entraining in Toronto on the night of August 21st, the legislative party reached Sudbury early the following morning for a full day of mining inspections. They viewed surface facilities of the Falconbridge Nickel Mines at Hardy, Onaping, Fecunia, Strathcona and Longlac. As guests of the International Nickel Co., they visited the Frood open pit and Copper Cliff smelter and watched the pouring of slag late in the evening.

Going on to Spragge the next day, members took buses to Elliott Lake and visited Milliken Lake Mine, Algom Uranium Mine and Consolidated Dennison Mine. Next morning, they enjoyed a motor tour of the Blind River area and called at McFadden's Lumber Division of Huron Forest Products. In the afternoon, they continued by train to Sault Ste. Marie and visited the plant of the Algoma Steel Corp.

On Sunday morning, August 25th, members toured the District Headquarters and Air Service Branch base of the Department of Lands and Forests. At noon, they boarded the S.S. Assiniboia for a pleasant voyage across Lake Superior to Fort William. Monday morning, they inspected grain elevators, iron ore docks and Hillcrest Park; in the afternoon, they relaxed on a harbour cruise. Next day, they toured the adjacent cities and district, touching at Mount McKay, Squaw Lake, Brule Lake, Chippewa Park, Kakabeka Provincial Park and the plant of the Great Lakes Paper Co.

Entraining again on Wednesday, members visited the LongLac Pulp and Paper Co. at Terrace Bay in the morning, and went on to call at Marathon and the Marathon Corp. in the afternoon. On Thursday, they toured the townsite of Manitouwadge and visited Willroy Mines, Geco Mines and the Ontario Paper Co.

On Friday, members passed through White River and continued to North Bay where, on Saturday morning, they were received as guests of the R.C.A.F. Fighter Station. In the afternoon, they visited the plant of the Johns-Manville Co. Early Sunday morning, September 1st, the members detrained at Toronto Union Station after ten full, rewarding days of observation.

During the tour, members were entertained by the Cities of Sudbury, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort William, Port Arthur, and North Bay; by Chambers of Commerce in Fort William, Port Arthur and North Bay; and by the International Nickel Co., Falconbridge Nickel Mines, Milliken Lake Mine, Abitibi Power and Paper Co., Great Lakes Paper Co., LongLac Pulp and Paper Co., Marathon Corp., Ontario Paper Co. and Geco Mines Ltd.

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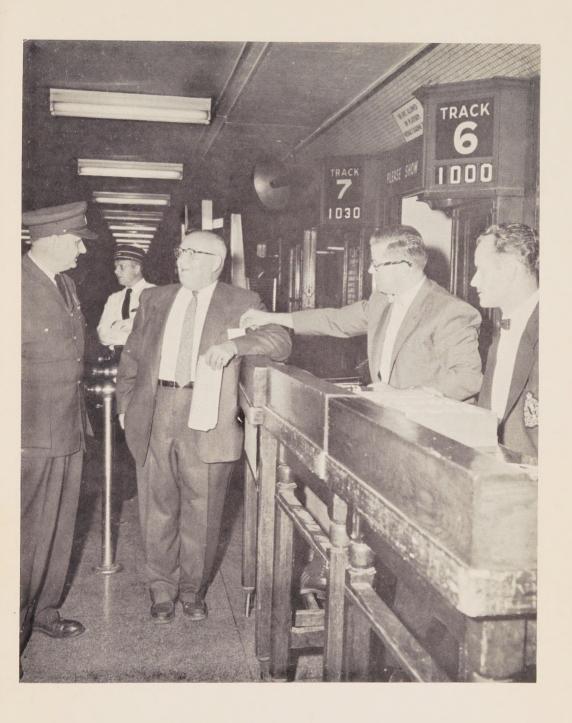
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Minister and P. O. Rhynas at Union Station at start of M. L. A. Tour. Toronto.

August 21st, 1957.



Minister of Lands and Forests, Hon. Clare Mapledoram at Union Station, at start of M. L. A. Tour.

August 21 st, 1957.



Members and well wishers at Union Station at start of M. L. A. Tour, (L. to R.) Claude Frost, H. Frost, Mrs. H. Frost, Arthur Frost, M. P. P., J. S. P. Armstrong, Miss Naomi Carter, Mr. Joe Armstrong, P. O. Rhynas.

August 21st, 1957.



Start of the M. L. A. Tour — Union Station, Toronto. (L. to R.) Glen Gordon, P. O. Rhynas, R. G. Lewis, C. E. Janes and H. M. Allen.

August 21 st, 1957.



Mr. Mapledoram Meets Chamber of Commerce at Sudbury.

August 22nd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour wearing safety hats at crusher plant in smelter of International Nickel Company.

Sudbury.

August 22nd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour arrive at Falconbridge Nickel Mine. August 22 nd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour visit Fecunis Mine shaft. Falconbridge Nickel Mine. August 22nd, 1957.



Hon. Clare E. Mapledoram speaks at breakfast at the Idylwyld Golf and Country Club.

Sudbury.

August 22nd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour Hardy Mill, Falconbridge Nickel Mine.
Onaping.

August 22 nd, 1957.



M. L. A. Sightseeing at Frood Open Pit, International Nickel Company. Sudbury.

August 22nd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour at International Nickel Company luncheon.

Copper Cliff Club.

August 22nd, 1957.



General view of Copper Cliff smelter. International Nickel Company.

August 22nd, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour arriving at Spragge. August 23rd, 1957.

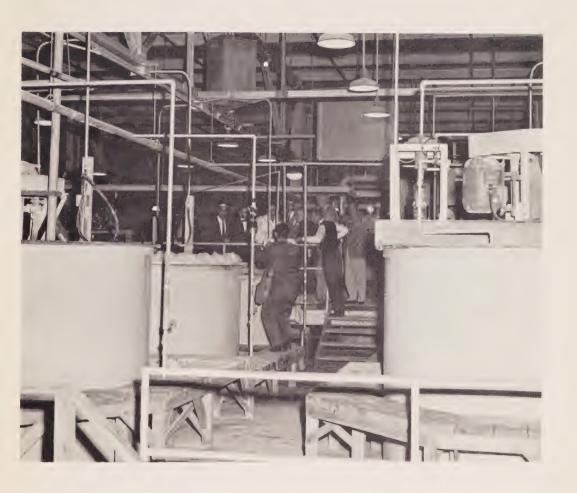


Members of M. L. A. Tour at luncheon - Milliken Lake Mine. Elliot Lake. August 23rd, 1957.



Members of Tour look at model of mill, Algom Mine, Elliot Lake. Hon. W. Spooner, Minister of Mines, J. Yaremko, Carson Brown, Fred Edwards, W. Murdoch., W. E. Johnston, J. Maloney.

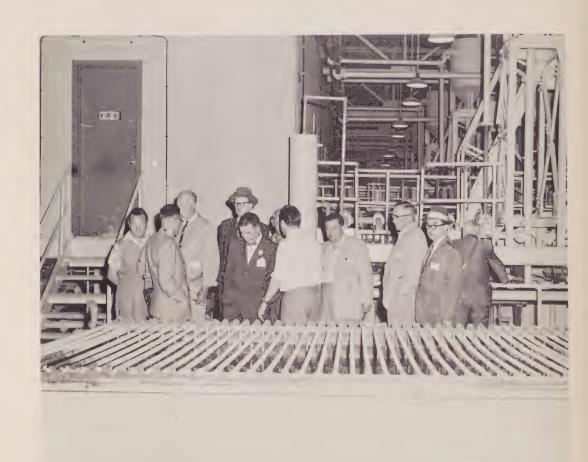
August 23rd, 1957.



Members of Tour watch mixers which control removal of iron from uranium ore.

Algom Mine, Elliot Lake.

August 23rd, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour examine ore precipitate at Algom Mine. Elliot Lake.

August 23rd, 1957.



Algom Quirke Mine - General view. Elliot Lake. August 23rd, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour members standing on the shore of Quirke Lake. Elliot Lake District. August 23rd, 1957.



Mrs. Marcette, Secretary Blind River Chamber of Commerce greets Hon. Clare Mapledoram.

Blind River.

August 24th, 1957.



Members of M. L. A. Tour visit Department of Lands and Forests Headquarters.

Blind River.

August 24th, 1957.



Log boom at McFadden's Mill. Blind River.

August 24th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour visiting McFadden's Mill. Blind River. August 24th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour examine coal docks at Algoma Steel Corporation.
Sault Ste. Marie.

August 24th, 1957.



Molten slag being poured at Algoma Steel Corporation.
Sault Ste. Marie. August 24th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour wear safety helmets for tour of Algoma Steel Mill. Sault Ste. Marie. August 24th, 1957.



General view of Algoma Steel Plant. Sault Ste. Marie. August 24th, 1957.



Minister of Lands and Forests Hon. Clare E. Mapledoram speaks on C. J. I. C. Radio. Sault Ste. Marie.

August 24th, 1957.



Minister of Mines, Hon. J. W. Spooner speaks on C. J. I. C. Radio. Sault Ste. Marie.

August 24th, 1957.



Hon. Clare E. Mapledoram speaks at banquet in the Windsor Hotel. Sault Ste. Marie.

August 24th, 1957.



Dr. MacKinnon Phillips speaks at banquet in Windsor Hotel. Sault Ste. Marie. August 24th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour visiting Department of Lands and Forests Air Service Hangar. Sault Ste. Marie.

August 25th, 1957.



General view of hangar - Division of Air Service base. Sault Ste. Marie. August 25th, 1957.



Hon. Clare Mapledoram and members of tour at Division of Air Service base. Sault Ste. Marie.

August 25th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour members enjoy boat trip on Lake Superior. August 25th, 1957. (L. to R.) A. Childs (with camera), Glen Gordon, Art Frost, A. E. Bunnell, Bob Elliott, W. E. Johnston, Chas. Janes, Don Morrow, H. M. Allen.



Mr. Geo. Wardrope, Mayor Eunice Wishart and Hon. Clare Mapledoram. Port Arthur.

August 26th, 1957.

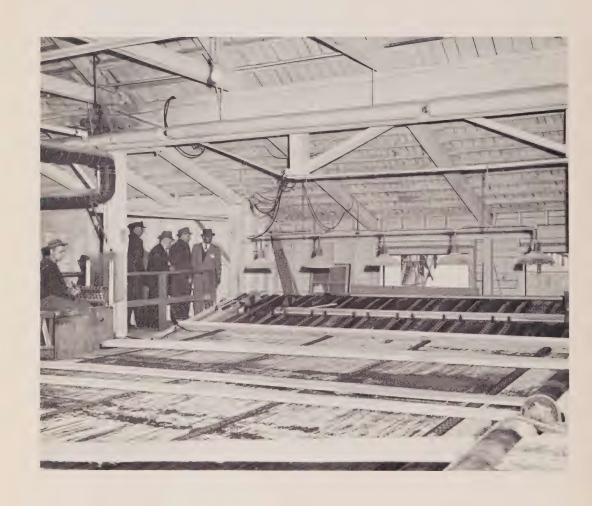




M. L. A. Tour members at Northern Wood Preservers Limited Mill.

Port Arthur.

August 26th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour members at Northern Wood Preservers Limited Mill. Port Arthur.

August 26th, 1957.



Geo. Wardrope M. P. P. speaks at luncheon on M. L. A. Tour. Port Arthur.

August 26th, 1957.



Mayor Badani of Fort William speaks at luncheon on M. L. A. Tour.

Port Arthur.

August 26th. 1957.



M. L. A. Tour at Saskatchewan Pool Elevator No. 7.

Port Arthur.

August 26th, 1957.



Premier Leslie Frost arriving at Fort William Airport.



Group at Fort William Airport. August 27th, 1957.
(L. to R.) Mayor Badani, Hon. Clare Mapledoram, Premier Frost,
Mayor Wishart, Geo. Wardrope, M. P. P.



Premier Leslie M. Frost speaking at luncheon in Chippewa Park. Fort William.

August 27th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour members at shrine on Mount McKay. Fort William. August 27th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour in buses, views piles of pulp logs at the Great Lakes Paper Company.

Fort William.

August 27th, 1957.



Rolls of paper being lifted from rolling machine for weighing and shipping at the Great Lakes Paper Company.

Fort William.

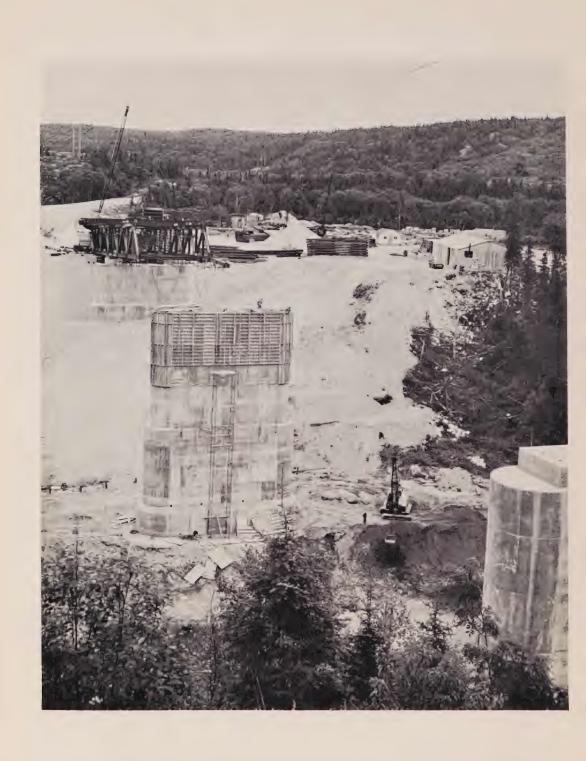
August 27th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour arrives at Terrace Bay. August 28th, 1957.



Donald MacDonald, • Hon. Clare E. Mapledoram, Albert Wren. Marathon. August 28th, 1957.



New bridge under construction over Little Pic River, west of Marathon.

August 28th, 1957.



Premier Leslie Frost arriving at Manitouwadge.



M. L. A. Tour at Department of Lands and Forests' District Office.

Manitouwadge.

August 29th, 1957.



Premier Frost talks with miners at top of Geco Mine pit head.

Manitouwadge.

August 29th, 1957



M. L. A. Tour preparing to go up in elevator to top of pithead at Geco mine.

Manitouwadge.

August 29th, 1957.



Mr. Urquhart, President of Geco Mines, leads M. L. A. in sing-song at dinner at Geco Mine.

Manitouwadge.

August 29th, 1957.



Manitouwadge.

Geco Mine Chefs.

August 29th, 1957.



Mrs. K. Broomhead, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Chapleau, greets Minister and members of M. L. A. Tour at station.

Chapleau.

August 30th, 1957.



Mr. P. O. Rhynas at Department of Lands and Forests District Office.
White River.

August 30th, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour at Empire Hotel - waiting buses for tour of city.

North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour examine safety display in R. C. A. F. Hangar. North Bay. August 31st, 1957.



Hon. Clare Mapledoram reading 'North Bay Nugget' at R. C. A. F. Station.
North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



Members of Tour examine C. F. 100's at the R. C. A. F. Station.

North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



Members watch air crew make ready C. F. 100's in preparation for air display.

North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



Members tour the R. C. A. F. Station. North Bay. August 31 st, 1957.



Group Capt. H. C. Ledoux speaks to members of Tour in R. C. A. F. briefing room.

North Bay.

August 31 st, 1957.



Gateway at entrance to city of North Bay.



Members of M. L. A. Tour arriving at new Mental Hospital. North Bay. August 31st, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour visits new Mental Hospital. In foreground - Harold F. Fishleigh, John M. Chaput, Albert Wren, Fred Edwards.

North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



Minister and members of M. L. A. Tour examine products of the Johns - Manville plant in North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



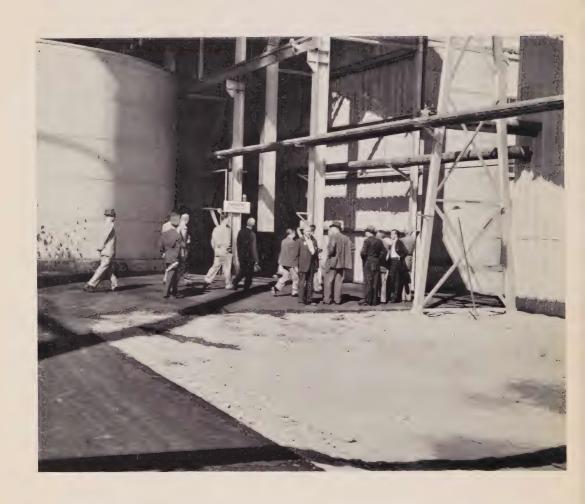
Hon. Clare E. Mapledoram and members tour Johns-Manville Plant.
North Bay.

August 31 st, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour in the pulp yard at the Johns-Manville plant.
North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour at the Johns-Manville plant. (Debarker and soaking machinery.)
North Bay.

August 31st, 1957.



M. L. A. Tour on 'Lake' train - (L. to R.) J. Armstrong, A. Wren, Bob Wright (Steward), Hon. Clare Mapledoram, D. MacDonald, C. E. Janes, Don Morrow, Bob Elliott, Lloyd Letherby.

August 31 st, 1957.















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